

Interior Township, Ontonagon Cty - July 2024

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Office hrs: 2nd/4th Mondays, 1-3pm, Board meetings 2nd Monday @6pm.

Our website is up and running. It is a work in progress - We have posted the Twp Zoning Ordinance and Recreation Plan and will continue to post meeting minutes for your review... InteriorTownship.com



Assessor, LuAnn Hayrynen, luannassessor@gmail.com, Ph: 906-288-3610. *Are you a veteran or unrewarded surviving spouse? File your 5107 form with the Assessor for a property tax exemption. Other property tax relief primary residence exemption as well as hardship application, qualified Agricultural and Forest exemptions.*

Building Permits are required for structures larger than 200 square feet. Permit forms in the Twp Hall Lobby.

Township Volunteer Opportunities [Board of Review](#), [Cemetery Committee](#), [Election Inspectors](#), [Volunteer Fire Department](#), [Planning Commission](#) and [Zoning Board of Appeals](#). **Some positions can be held by non-residents.** Detailed job descriptions listed on website. Contact Supervisor Joe O'Sullivan @ 906-852-3415.

Welcome to our new Clerk, Wade Boan. Wade has lived in the Trout Creek area for about four years. He has previously volunteered for the township working on the Recreation Plan and serving on the Planning Commission. Wade can be reached at 906-852-3415 or InteriorTownship@yahoo.com. We thank Mary Koch for her time as clerk. Her organizational skills will be appreciated for many years. Mary has joined the Planning Commission.

The **Planning Commission** is working to update the master plan. Next meeting is Thursday, July 11, 2024 @ 7pm.

Water and Sewer System: The water fee has increased to \$56.50. Renovation to our water tower is completely paid for but took the bulk of our reserves. The recent increase is to be better prepared for maintenance and emergency repairs. Fee for water and sewer is a total of \$75/month.

Please be aware that the Township has a strict payment policy for water and sewer. Payments are due by the first of each month. Late fee and shut off warning for first offense. Must be paid in full by the due date (end of the month) or your water will be turned off with a \$75 turn on fee.

Remember, there is a \$20 fee each time a resident requests that their water be turned on or off. For this service, call Roger @ 715-506-2690



Community Activities



Shortcut Rd will be paved this year. The Twp portion is approximately \$128,000.

Agate Cemetery and Trout Creek Cemetery Cemetery flowers are permitted beginning Memorial Weekend. Remove flowers by October 1st, use cement or metal planters, one planter maximum per grave.

Abbott Fox Park Sign up on the calendar inside Twp Hall to reserve our log cabin shelter. Restrooms are maintained beginning Memorial Day weekend through Fall colors (weather dependent, winterized/locked winter).

Annual 4th of July Lawnmower Parade is sponsored by our Volunteer Fire Department and will travel along Division St. Opening Ceremony @ 10am EST, near the Museum. Hotdogs/Brats potluck following. Donations supporting the Fire Dept are appreciated.

Mary Shegan's **Annual Garden Party** in July, (date is bloom dependent). To walk her flower gardens, visit with neighbors & other flower enthusiasts: call Mary at 906-852-3485 to be added to the event list.

Holy Hootenany The Calvary Assembly of God's annual event, **Sunday, August 4, 2024** under the tent @ the church. Featuring the Paul Family Bluegrass, 2-4pm. Brat/Hotdog dinner @ 4pm. Donations appreciated.

August primary is Tuesday, August 6, 2024, 7am-8pm. The early voting period begins the second Saturday prior to Election Day and ends the Sunday before the election. For this election: July 27 – August 4. Location: Ontonagon Township Building, [311 N Steel St Ontonagon, MI 49953](#). Voting on election day is at the Interior Township Hall

November election is Tuesday, November 5, 2024, 7am-8pm. The early voting period begins the second Saturday prior to Election Day and ends the Sunday before the election. For this election: October 26 – November 3. Location: Ontonagon Township Building, [311 N Steel St Ontonagon, MI 49953](#). Voting on election day is at the Interior Township Hall

Cribbage Canadian Doubles Tournaments are the **2nd Sunday** at the American Legion. Bring a friend as a partner is required, no experience necessary, we'll teach you how to play. \$20/person. Register @ 1pm EST, Play begins @ 2pm EST. 100% payout to top 4 winners. Call Gerald @ 906-852-3402.

The Hazel Sliger Library and Museum Open by appt, contact Bob Knivila @ 906-852-3342 or Patsy Walls @ 906-852-3609.

American Legion Post 494 Watch for Sunday Morning pancake breakfast & other community gatherings. To reserve the Legion for an event, call Bob Rydzewski @ 906-852-3254